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# LYNCHING MOB AFTER ROBBER WHO SHOT THREE

Police Save Him by Declaring That He Was Dead in Boat.

SECOND ATTEMPT NOT CARRIED OUT

Bandit Entered Bank, Killed . Cashier and Wounded Presi-. dent, Later Shooting Chauffeur Who Refused to Help Him Escape in Motor Car-Finally Caught.

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Les found desirable to go abread its suggestions looking to an improvement of the wealthy and inflativated Married and Expendent of the wealth of the

chine. The robber then jumped out of the automobile, shot the negro in the back, and ran two blocks to the Ohlo River. He seized a skiff and was on his way to the Louisville side of the river before the frightened citizens of New Albany knew what had transpired. An alarm was given through a megaphone on a dredge boat, and in a short time several policemen had started in pursuit in a fast motor boat.

Robber is Captured.

Capturing their man, they brought him to shore, where, by a ruse, Police Captain Adams kept back the crowd of 260 persons, which crowded around the dock as the police boat landed. Commanding the prisoner to lie down, Captain Adams announced to the crowd that the man had taken poison and was dead, meanwhile carrying him to the patrol wagon and giving the word to drive ahead. The bandit was taken to the New Albany jail. A few moments later he was removed to the Southern Indiana Reformatory at Jeffersonville to escape the hiob, which realizing that it had been tricked, had assembled around the jail.

In his cell at the reformatory the prisoner refused to give his name, and talked only when hard pressed by questions.

He said that he had been around Louisville for several days. He did not know Tucker, the chauffeur, and declared Tucker was not implicated in the look was at coloraine."

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"I won't tell my name. I have seven brothers and sisters. My father don't live with my mother, and all of them are not within 600 miles of this place. I never was in trouble but once. That was at Lexington, Ky, on Hallowe'en a long time ago."

He seemed to be confused, but is apparently not insane. He confessed that he planned the robbery of the bank, and says he had no assistance.

To-night the bandit was identified as Thomas Jefferson Hall, and according to William J. Hall, his father, the desperado is but seventeen years old. The clder Hall, who has a furniture store at \$02 South Preston Street, in this city, said that young Hall was a household tyrant and not insane at all. "He is simply mean," said the father. The family is formerly of Knoxville, Tenn.

Death From Pellagra.

DURHAM, N. C., November 11.—Miss Maggie Hutchins, daughter of well-to-do parents, died here last night of pellagra, making the tenth victim of the disease in this city. She was the second white patient, the other, also a woman, to die from the Etrange innalady. As neither of them ate corn, in any shape the attending physicians have been unable to attribute any cause for the disease.

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Senator Aldrich talked here to-night to the local bankers' club. He again discussed the necessity for the reformation of the banking and currency laws in order to provide against panies like that of 1907. He went into details concerning the operations of central banks in Europe.

This is the home of Senator Cummins who has shown an inclination to antagonize the Aldrich policies. Mr. Aldrich's only aliusion to Mr. Cummins in his speech here was made in connection with mention of the name of the late Senator Allison, and was made in a way that could not have aroused any but the kindest feeling.

Mr. Aldrich was the guest of honor at a bankers' dinner given at the Savery Hotel.

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In his address Mr. Aldrich spoke es-In his address Mr. Aldrich spoke especially of the growing importance of the West as affording the best reason why the people of Iowa should desire a stable banking system, and he appealed to them to join with him in devising a plan that would place the United State in advance of all other nations as a financial centre.

Here he gave somewhat more attention than elsewhere to the important part that commercial paper plays in the banking systems of the old world. This, he explained, was not done for the purpose of urging the adoption of the European plan in the United States, but to indicate a possible means of increasing credit in case it should be found desirable to go abroad for suggestions looking to an improvement over our money situation.

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Argument in Steinheil Case.

### LAST TESTIMONY THAT OF FRIENDS

State Contends That Woman Murdered Husband so as to Obtain Freedom to Wed Another, But That Killing of Stepmother Was Unpremeditated. ..

band, so as to obtain freedom to wed the wealthy and infatuated Maurice the annual banquet given by The Borderei, but that the killing of her stepmother was unpremeditated and association at Murphy's Hotel last Church, South, to-day adopted by acmerely an incident to the tragedy, is the theory of the state as outlined by Trouard Riolle, the judge advocate, in

Maitre Aubin, Mme. Steinheil's coun-sel, objected to the expert acting on the supposition that there was no money in the Steinheil house on the last of January, from which point he made his deductions.

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Captain Scheffer, who has been referred to as "Meg's" earliest sweetheart, came to the court to testify in behalf of the woman whom he once might have married. His praise of her as a young girl was unqualified. He declared that he was profoundly convinced of her innocence.

vinced of her innocence,
A lawyer, M. Palsant by name, who
was an old friend of Mma. Steinhell, described her as a veritable angel of love toward her husband and declared that her entire life had been a heroic struggle against adverse circum-

The judge-advocate will conclude his

Judge Advocate Opens Times - Dispatch Corre- Conference Devotes Day spondents Reminded of Usefulness.

### NEWSPAPER LIKE COMMON SCHOOL

Richardson Commend Efforts to Preach High Ideals and Truthfulness—Convention Ends Its Work After Best Session Yet

Paris, November 11.—That Mme. Steinhell, aided by some unknown accomplice, murdered her hus. band, so as to obtain freedom to wed

Brief responses were also made by Evan R. Chesterman, of the Evening Journal, who claimed to be, with the single exception of Dr. Watson James, in point of service the oldest news paper man in Richmoid; Dr. Lucien Lofton, president of the association; Henry S. Harrison, of The Times-Dispatch editorial staff; Alfred B. Williams, editor of the News Leader, and others. Those at the speakers' table were Dr. Blackwell, Mayor Richardson, Judge Williams, Dr. Lofton, Mr. Williams, Vice-President N. L. Shaw and Mr. Harrison. Allen Potts, mannaging editor of The Times-Dispatch, presided,

Man of Common Sease.

In opening his address, Mayor Richardsor told several of the incidents of President Taft's visit to Richmond on Wednesday, saying, amid applause, that Mr. Taft had impressed him most favorably as a man of good common sense, with the "dignity of a President and the affability of a gentleman."

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especially on banquet nights. He explained that he lived in a

He explained that he lived in a quiet town, giving a quiet dig at some of his neighbors by saying that it had no bank fallures and no murders, but said he tried to send all the news there was, and that if anybody saw the Franklin date line in the paper they might know it was true. Press As an Educator.

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President Blackweil said he did not come to give advice to the newspapers how to run their business—that just now the colleges are getting a good deal of advice from the outside as to how they should be run, and he knew how it felt. The newspapers, he held to be the common schools of the country, the real schools of the people, which, in the long run do more educating than any other organ, illuswhich, in the long run do more edu-cating than any other organ, illus-trating by showing the comparative time a boy spends in school as com-pared with the time spent throughout life by those who habitually read news-papers. Such reading, he claimed, was not merely the dissemination of information, but a mental dicipline, saying that even among the more diffi-cult subjects, when treated from day to day under the atmosphere of news, they seem easier to read, and more that The judge-advocate will conclude his trating by showing the comparative time a boy spends in school as compared to the defendant, will follow, and a verdict probably will be sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to isited making the comparative product in the sit to imparative product in the sit to isit to isi

# PRESS GREATEST STATE-WIDE ISSUE HELP TO PEOPLE NOT CONSIDERED NOT CONSIDERED

to Randolph-Macon Matter.

### REPORT ADOPTED BY ACCLAMATION

President Blackwell and Mayor Not Believed That Board of Trustees Will Bow to Action of the Body, Several Speakers Arguing That Case Should Go to the Courts for Final Adjustment, \_

State-wide prohibition did not come up, and it has been made the special order of busines for Monday night. A big temperance rally was held at the Trinity Methodist Church to-night, Rev. J. D. McAllister, president of the Anti-Saloon League, being the principal speaker. The church was packed to its capacity and the talk of the league president was followed with interest. Howent thoroughly over the ground in Virginia and discussed the temperance question in every phase.

## DOUBLE LYNCHING BY FRENZIED MOB

ANOTHER WOMAN IN CASE

Expected to Tell What Warriver Did With Stolen Money,
CINCINNATI, O., November 11.—The mystery which envelops the relations of Charles L. Warriner, the defaulting local treasurer of the Big Four Raliroad, with the two women and a man whom he asserts have systematically blackmailed him for several years, was deepened late to-day when it was learned from one of the raliway officials that another woman, whose name has not been previously mentioned, was involved.

This official, who has been specially detailed to investigate the \$747,000 shortage, confessed to by Warriner, stated that the woman who entered as a new factor in the case has, as far as he knew, no criminal connection with the embezzlement, but could give important information in regard to the disposal of the stolen money. Her name has been given to the Prosecutor Hunt, and she will probably be subpoensed to appear before the grand jury.

There were no other developments in

ble, if not precarious, condition.

### ALLOWANCE OF FEES

Matter of Aemineration of Carter's At-torneys Before Supreme Court. CHICAGO, IILL., November 11.—In an answer to the order of the United

TO SAFEGUARD GOVERNMENT

Experts Considering Matter of Examination of Tobacco Imports.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 11.—How many thousands of dollars will be saved to the government by a more rigid examination of tobacco imports to prevent the wrapper product coming in under the lower duty for filler tobacco is still problematical, but the matter is engaging the attention of customs experts in New York. The Treasury Department last month took steps looking to more rigid scrattiny, and announced that seizures might be made. Wrapper and filler tobacco when mixed or packed with over 15 per cent. of wrapper, if unstemmed, is taxed \$1.85 a pound, and \$2.55 a pound if stemmed, while filler otherwise is taxed only 35 cents if unstemmed and 50 cents if stemmed.

Reports indicate that an examination of or only 10 per cent. of each importation as at New York does not safeguard the government interests.

THANK ROCKEFELLER

Medical Association Strongly Urge Acceptance of \$1,000,000 Gift.

NEW ORLEANS, LA, November 11.—The third annual convention of the crowd, stepped forward and said no because the counter of the courthouse, around the building through the yard and out into Washington Avenue and up to Twenty-dirst Street, which is a prominent corner and has a public square.

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that an inspector se appointed, whose duties it shall be to see that millers do not utilize the "nubbins" or bad cars of corn, and giving him plenary powers to selze and condemn and consignment of corn showing mouldiness.

### APPROVED BY PRESIDENT

Killing of Negro Followed by White Murderer's Death.

### GOVERNOR ORDERS TROOPS TO SCENE

Crazed by Spirit of Violence, Members of Attacking Party Are Loath to Give Victim Time to Pray-Bodies Are Riddled With Bullets.

CAIRO, ILL., NOVEMBER 12 .- IT IS REPORTED THAT ALEXANDER, THE NEGRO IMPLICATED BY JAMES IN THE MURDER OF MISS PELLEY, HAS BEEN FOUND, BY THE MOB. AND THAT THEY ARE BRINGING HIM INTO TOWN TO LYNCH HIM. AN UNVERIFIED REPORT THAT THE NEGRO ALEXANDER HAS BEEN LYNCHED AT CAIRO HAS JUST

REACHED GOVERNOR DENEEN.

CHICAGO, NOVEMBER 11.—"THIS
IS AN OUTRAGEOUS PROCEEDING
AND A DISGRACE TO THE STATE OF
ILLINOIS," SAID GOVERNOR DENEEX
LATE TO-NIGHT. "THERE IS NOT
A QUESTION BUT THAT THOSE WHO
COMMITTED THE ATROCIOUS CRIME
AT CAIRO WOULD HAVE BEEN PUNISHED BY DUE PROCESS OF LAW
HAD THE MATTER BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE COURTS."

Judge Kohlsaat's reply to the government's petition for a writ of prohibition enjoining him from making any further distribution of the Carter fund was forwarded to the Supreme Court last Tuesday and was made public here to-night.

The fee case of Captain Carter is now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States on appeal from the United States on appeal from the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Attorneys for Carter made application for more fees last month to cover liabilities accrued by the appeal to the Supreme Court.

The Governor, who is in Chicago, ordered eleven companies of the State Guard to Cairo at once.

CHICAGO, ILL., November 11.—Governor Deneen at midnight ordered five more companies of militia to proceed at once to Cairo, and directed General Wells, of Decatur, to take charge of the troops and proceed at once to the

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Secretary Meyer of the navy yards and the bureaus of the succeeded in its furious vengeance and draged Honry Salzner, a white man the details of the plans. These he will make the content of the conditions were impossible for him to cope with and that he feared wholesale murder.

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Women Pull Rope.

CAIRO, ILL., November 11.—Will James, the negro suspected of being the murderer of Miss Annie Peley, was killed here to-night by a mob. He was strung up to the public arch, the rope broke, and at least 500 shots were poured into his body. He made a parfial confession, and implicated another negro, Arthur Alexander, whom the mob is now searching for.

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